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1. X Fee Transmittal Form *(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)*

Declaration and Power of Attorney

<u> X </u>	Newly executed (original or copy)
	Unexecuted declaration

3. Applicant(s) Status Under 37 CFR § 1.27

Applicant(s) and any others associated with it/them under § 1.27(a) are a SMALL ENTITY

4. Also Enclosed are

_____	Plant Color Coding Sheet
_____	Preliminary Amendment
<u> X </u>	An Assignment with the Recordation Cover Sheet and the recordation fee are enclosed as separate papers
_____	37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee)
_____	Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO/SB/08A/B
_____	Copies of citations
_____	Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (<i><u>if foreign priority is claimed</u></i>)
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PLANT PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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Inventor	:	Barry Schlueter
Title	:	HIBISCUS ROSA-SINENSIS PLANT NAMED 'NOVA'

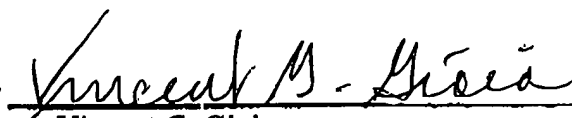
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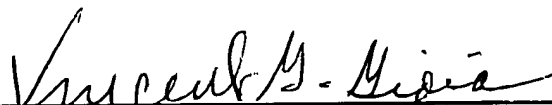
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FILING FEE**Applicant Status:** Applicant(s) is/are a large entity.**METHOD OF PAYMENT** X Check for the filing fee of \$530 X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the **entire pendency** of the application to Deposit Account No. 03-1728. Please show our docket number with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account. **A copy of this letter is enclosed.**

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